

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

DOCKET NO. 3:09cr52-FDW

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
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(2) LUCIANO CASTRO MANZANAREZ,)
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Defendant.)
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**FINAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT
CONFIRMING FORFEITURE**

On September 1, 2009, this Court entered a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture pursuant to 21 U.S.C. §853 and Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(d)(2), based upon the Defendant's plea of guilty on Count One in the Superseding Bill of Indictment. As to Count One, Defendant was charged with conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute a controlled substance, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) and § 846.

On September 27, 2009 through October 26, 2009, the United States published via www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this forfeiture and of the intent of the government to dispose of the forfeited property according to law, and further notifying all third parties of their right to petition the Court within sixty days from September 27, 2009 for a hearing to adjudicate the validity of any alleged legal interest in the property. It appears from the record that no such petitions have been filed. Based on the record in this case, including the defendant's plea of guilty, the Court finds, in accordance with Rule 32.2(c)(2), that the Defendant had an interest in the property that is forfeitable under the applicable statute.

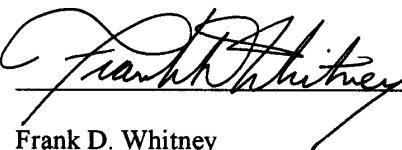
It is therefore ORDERED:

In accordance with Rule 32.2(c)(2), the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture is confirmed as final. All right, title, and interest in the following property, whether real, personal, or mixed, has therefore been forfeited to the United States for disposition according to law:

One Colt .45 handgun, serial number 736123 and ammunition; and

One 9mm Smith and Wesson, serial number 581116 and ammunition.

Signed: May 5, 2010



Frank D. Whitney
United States District Judge
